IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 16. Please amend claims 1, 5, 7, 10, 11, 14, and 15. Please enter new claims 19 through 26.

1. (Currently Amended) A golf club head for an iron-type golf club comprising: a club head portion having a front face, a sole, a toe, and a heel portion, said heel defining a front heel face which defines a plane and which intersects a plane defined by said front face of said club head portion <u>said club</u> head portion further defining a gap beneath said heel; and,

an aperture defined in <u>at least one of</u> said front face <u>or a rear face</u> of said heel portion.

2. (Previously Amended) A golf club head according to claim 1 wherein said club head further comprises a hosel having a first end and a second end, a first end of the hosel reversibly engaging said aperture in a second end of said hosel adapted for receiving a shaft.

3. (Canceled)

- 4. (Original) The golf club head according to claim 1 wherein said heel face further defines a wedge-shaped member, said wedge-shaped member having a bore therethrough, said bore in alignment with said aperture, said bore and said aperture adapted for receiving a first end of a hosel.
- 5. (Currently Amended) A golf club comprising:

a club head having a front face, a sole, a toe, and a heel, said heel defining an aperture extending through at least one of a front face or a rear face of said heel, said club head defining a gap beneath said heel, said aperture adapted for receiving a hosel therein; and,

said front face of said heel defining a plane which intersects a plane defined by said front face of said club head.

- 6. (Original) The golf club according to claim 5 wherein said aperture extends from a front surface of said heel.
- 7. (Currently Amended) The golf club according to claim 5 wherein said aperture extends from a rear surface of said heel to a front surface of said heel.
- 8. (Canceled)
- 9. (Canceled)
- 10. (Currently Amended) A golf club comprising:

a club head having a front face, a sole, a toe, and a heel, said heel defining a bore extending into at least one of a front surface or a rear surface of said heel, said heel defining at least one of a front heel face or a rear heel face having a plane which intersects a plane defined by said front face of said club head; and,

an angled hosel having a first end inserted into said bore <u>defined by said rear</u> <u>surface of said heel</u> and a second end <u>which extends from said rear heel surface and</u> which is attached to a shaft.

- 11. (Currently Amendedl) A golf club according to claim 10 wherein said heel has a front heel face defining a plane which is coplanar to a plane defined by said front face of said club club head defines a gap beneath said heel.
- 12. (Canceled)
- 13. (Canceled)
- 14. (Currently Amended) A golf club according to claim [11] <u>10</u> wherein said bore is perpendicular to <u>at least one of said front surface or</u> said rear surface of said heel.

15. (Currently Amended) A golf club according to claim [11] 10 wherein said bore defines a non-perpendicular angle to said at least one of said front surface or said rear surface of said heel.

16. (Canceled)

- 17. (Previously Added) The golf club according to claim 5 wherein said heel defines an upper edge and a lower edge, said upper edge and said lower edge being parallel, said heel having a height less than a height of said club head.
- 18. (Previously Added) The golf club according to claim 10 wherein a lower edge of said club face defines a plane parallel to a plane defined by a lower edge of said heel face.
- 19. (New) A golf club according to claim 1 wherein said bore is perpendicular to said rear surface of said heel.
- 20. (New) A golf club according to claim 11 wherein said bore defines a nonperpendicular angle to said at least one of said front surface or said rear surface of said heel.
- 21. (New) A golf club comprising:

the club head having a front face, a sole, a toe, and a heel portion, said club head defining a gap beneath said heel;

a hosel extending from an aperture defined by at least one of a front surface or a rear surface of said heel, said at least one front surface or rear surface of said heel further defining a flat planar surface surrounding said aperture, said flat planar surface defining a plane which intersects the plane defined by said front face of said club head.

- 22. (New) A golf club according to claim 21 wherein said aperture extends from a front surface of said heel.
- 23. (New) A golf club according to claim 21 wherein said aperture extends from a rear surface of said heel.

- 24. (New) A golf club according to claim 21 wherein said aperture extends from a rear surface of said heel to a front surface of said heel.
- 25. (New) A golf club according to claim 21 wherein said aperture is perpendicular to said flat planar surface.
- 26. (New) A golf club according to claim 21 wherein said aperture defines a non-perpendicular angle relative to said flat planar surface.